

# Society

by JEAN ELIOT

A CHRONICLE OF EVENTS  
WITH SIDE LIGHTS ON THE MEN  
AND WOMEN WHO MAKE UP  
WASHINGTON'S COMPLEX AND  
INTERESTING SOCIAL LIFE

As if a gray curtain had been drawn aside the clouds parted yesterday afternoon at just the right time to reveal the White House lawn in a glory of spring sunshine. All conditions were perfect for the second of the series of garden parties at which Mrs. Harding is entertaining diplomatic, official and resident society of Washington.

Flowers bloomed gorgeously in the formal beds and the fountain fell in sparkling jewels of light that formed a rainbow over the basin. The Marine Band, stationed on a raised platform, lent a touch of brilliant color in their scarlet, blue and gold uniforms, and three red and white marquee, from which refreshments were served, repeated the high color note.

The guests entered from the east gate, passing through the long glazed gallery to the garden. The line in which more than 1,600 persons moved forward without a break for two hours, the gay costumes of the women making it a variegated rainbow that decorated the sloping greenward. Where the line emerged from the gallery into the garden Mrs. Harding's secretary, Miss Laura Harlan, and Robert Woods Bliss, Third Assistant Secretary of State, waited to greet the diplomats, justices of the Supreme Court and other high officials and to see that they were conducted directly to President and Mrs. Harding by one of the several White House aides on duty for the afternoon.

Beneath a tall old elm on the lawn the President and Mrs. Harding received their guests, welcoming each with a handshake and a special word that gave the feeling that the hospitality was personal and not at all official and formal. After such a welcome it was to be expected that every one would rise joy the afternoon so much that the temptation to linger a long time was irresistible. And there was not the least suggestion of a crowd, for there was space for all who stayed long after sundown to enjoy the lovely garden and the meeting with friends that were easy to find, even though the thousand mark was passed early and the guests arrived until 7 o'clock.

**MRS. HARDING'S GOWN.**  
Mrs. Harding wore a graceful gown of gray chiffon embroidered in gray silk and self-colored beads and made over a foundation of orchid tinted chiffon. The touch of Harding blue which appeared in the girdle and the long tassels of gray chenille and silver balls falling from the waistline were effective details of a smart and becoming model. Mrs. Harding's hat of gray horsehair braid was wreathed in orchid feather. Gray hose, gray suede ties and a scarf of sable completed her costume and she wore pearls and a lovely diamond ornament on the black velvet band about her throat.

Mrs. Coolidge was also gowned in gray, a becoming frock of crepe banded with eyelet embroidery and worn with a big black maline hat. With the Vice President she arrived when the party was well under way, and they held an impromptu reception of their own. So did General Pershing, who was surrounded



MME. WALLENBERG QUARSTRON.  
Who is a guest of the Swedish Minister and MME. Wallenberg.  
She is a sister of the Minister.

ed the moment he left the receiving line.

The gowns ranged from the gayest of garden party frocks to dark crepes and satins, with crepe de chine and georgette running each other a close race for popularity. Some particularly striking costumes were noted in the little group which assembled back of the line to watch the other guests arrive. Mrs. Edward Beale McLean wore a striking gown of crepe de chine lavishly trimmed with fringe laid on in points. Her picture hat of midnight blue horsehair braid was trimmed with a graceful plume, and she wore a graceful wrap of smoke gray chiffon combined with moleskin. Miss Isabel May's severely simple black crepe de chine frock gained distinction from its flowing sleeves of crepe georgette and its narrow silver girdle.

Mrs. Joseph Hampson had on a charming costume of beige georgette combined with lace and worn with a big brown hat. Mrs. Harry New's navy blue georgette was embroidered in bugles in an effective geometric design, and Mrs. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen had on a smart blue georgette gown which had a picturesque cape d'herby pendant from the shoulders. She wore a big black hat and a silver fox scarf across her shoulders.

**JOIN THE DANCERS.**  
On leaving the receiving line, the President and Mrs. Harding joined the dancers in the East room for a few minutes; and as the last of their guests were leaving they slipped away from the White House for a brief motor ride, Miss Harlan accompanying them.

The French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand headed the diplomats who were present yesterday afternoon and others noted were the Russian Ambassador, the Brazilian Ambassador, the Peruvian Ambassador and Mme. Pezet, the Belgian Ambassador, the Japanese Ambassador, Lady Geddes, wife of the British Ambassador, who was accompanied by Miss Margaret Benson; the Serbian Minister and Mme. Grouitch, the Polish Minister and Princess Lumbirka, the Minister of Finland and Mme. Saastamoinen.

Jonkheer W. H. de Beaufort, chargé d'affaires of the Netherlands legation, with Dr. and Mme. Hubrecht and Johannes Plum.

In the company also were Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury; Attorney General Daugherty, Postmaster General Hays, the Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Wallace, Miss Mary Wallace, Justice and Mrs. Louis Brandeis, Justice and Mrs. McKenna, with Mrs. McKenna Pultz; Justice James Clark McReynolds, Mrs. Frederick H. Gillett, wife of the Speaker, with her daughter, Miss Frances Hoar; Senator and Mrs. Henry W. Keyes, Senator and Mrs. Medill McCormick, Congressman and Mrs. Frederick C. Hicks, Congressman and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Hamlin, Miss Anna Hamlin, Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, Mrs. Hare Lippincott, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Willard Holbrook, Congressman and Mrs. Julius Kahn, Congressman M. P. Kinkaid, Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Hight, Miss Frances Hampson and Mr. and Mrs. John Walker Holcombe.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordon Jones, Mrs. Charles Marbury, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Field, Jr., Mrs. J. Fred Essary, Mrs. John B. Henderson, Mrs. James McDonald, Mrs. D. Buchanan Merriman, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Kauffmann and their daughter, Mrs. Lewis Newton Murray; Mrs. Hengstler, Herbert Hengstler, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Huidekoper, Major and Mrs. Thomas Larkin, Miss Annie Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Kauffmann, Mrs. Ward Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kauffmann, Mrs. Wilson Haywood, Mrs. Howard Hume, Mrs. James Hamilton Lewis, Mrs. John B. Kendrick, Mrs. Rosa May Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harlow, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bennett, M. and Mme. Claude Langlais, Mrs. Rufus Day, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meem, and Senator and Mrs. Robert L. Owen.

Today Mrs. Harding is receiving the delegates to the biennial conference of the Colonial Dames and the members of the College Women's Club.

**MRS. COOLIDGE TO BE GUEST.**  
Mrs. Coolidge, wife of the Vice President, will be the guest of honor at the weekly luncheon of the Women's National Press Club Monday. Prof. and Mrs. Charles Louis Seegar will also be guests and following the luncheon will give an informal musical program.

Last evening the Vice President and Mrs. Coolidge were entertained at dinner at Grasslands by Senator and Mrs. Francis E. Warren. The guests asked to meet them were the Secretary of the Treasury, Andrew W. Mellon; the Attorney General, Harry M. Daugherty; General Pershing, Senator and Mrs. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen; Senator and Mrs. Lawrence C. Phipps; Senator and Mrs. Truman H. Newberry, the Undersecretary of State and Mrs. Henry P. Fletcher, Congressman and Mrs. John Jacob Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brett Noyes, Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, Miss Mabel Boardman, Mrs. Henry C. Corbin, Mrs. George Cabot Lodge, Robert Lansing, Senator Robert N. Stanford, Congressman Theodore Burton, and Robert Woods Bliss, Third Assistant Secretary of State.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes will be the guests of honor at dinner this evening when the Rumanian minister and Princess Bibesco will entertain a distinguished company of twenty-four. The Spanish

Ambassador and Mme. de Riano and the American minister to Rumania and Mrs. Peter Jay will be present.

The Serbian minister and Mme. Grouitch will sail tomorrow on the President Wilson for Dubrovnik (formerly Ragusa). The minister has been granted leave of absence and, with Mme. Grouitch, will spend the summer in Serbia.

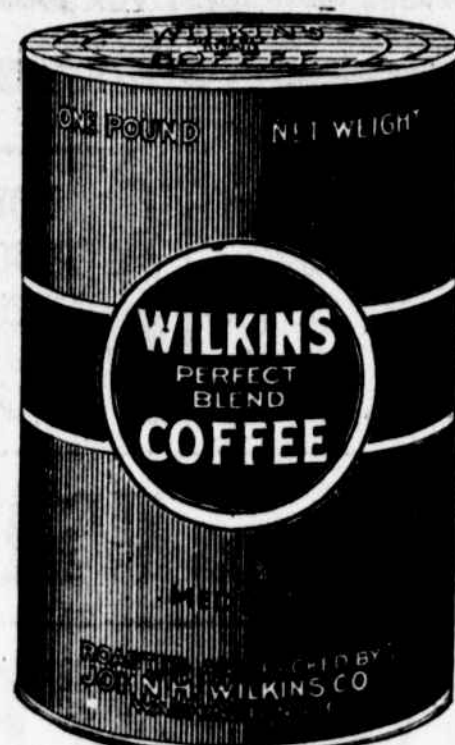
Mrs. J. Borden Harriman will be at home this afternoon and, weather permitting, will receive in the charming garden of her residence at 2017 F street. Mrs. Harriman returned yesterday from New York and was accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Henry Potter Russell, who will be her

guest for a week and will assist her in welcoming her guests today. Mrs. Harriman contemplates sailing for Europe in June, but may cancel her passage and occupy a cottage at Bar Harbor for which she is now negotiating.

Mrs. Charles J. Bell will give a tea this afternoon from 5 to 7 o'clock at Twin Oaks, her suburban home. If the afternoon is not too disagreeable she will receive in the garden and the tea tables will be laid under the trees. Mrs. Bell's garden tea is an annual event, and one to which her friends always look forward with great pleasure as it is given when the

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